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**Men's Fancy Dress Boots and Shoes**  
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6 Loaves Bread.....	\$ .50
2 Dozen Buns.....	.25
Total.....	.75

### In 1918 A Bushel of Wheat will Purchase the Following:

5 Loaves Bread.....	.50
2 Dozen Buns.....	.30
2 Dozen Assorted Cookies.....	.30
Jelly Roll.....	.15
Fruit Cake.....	.15
1 Doz. Mince Meat Chocolate.....	.60
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Announcements

Friday and Saturday, March 1 & 2

### "The Lash of Power"

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Monday & Tuesday, March 4 & 5

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Featuring CARMEL MYERS and LOUISE LOVELY.  
A Whole Sea of Beautiful Girls

Wednesday & Thur., March 6 & 7

### Universal Mixed Program

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### ASK GOVERNMENT TO HELP FARMERS FINANCE TRACTORS

Vancouver.—At a meeting of the U.F.A. held at a residence here, a resolution was adopted asking the Dominion government to make arrangements with the banks to enable farmers to finance tractor purchases. The banks have previously refused to loan money for tractor purchases, and under this condition very few farmers will be able to obtain the opportunity afforded by the government to buy Ford tractors at cost. Those farmers who can afford to meet the government's terms are not the class of farmers most in need of tractor power of this kind. There is reason to fear that specialists will buy up the tractors which are being supplied by the government, and very few of the benefit, unless some means is found to enable small farmers to obtain legitimate credit from the banks.

### Resolution Adopted

The resolution, which was moved by E. A. Charters, was as follows: "Whereas the majority of Alberta farmers operate farms averaging from 10 to 20 acres of land, and these are the very ones who can best utilize the lightweight tractors now under the list.

Whereas this class of farmer, because of the high price of tractors, is unable to obtain the benefit of the government's offer, and the immediate increased acreage as a consequence of the extensive speculative operation.

Whereas this class of farmer has as a rule, a boy of your age who can do the labor needed, who can substitute.

Whereas the present basis of tractor sales is based on a very high price premium for a partial credit on tractor terms.

Therefore, we, the local union No. 225 of the United Farmers of Alberta, hereby petition the provincial and federal governments to devise some method whereby this class of farmer should be provided with financial assistance to enable him to purchase a tractor suited to his particular needs, and that such assistance be afforded by some system of co-operation with the banks.

### Farm Implements, Too

In the discussion which followed, Mr. McManis criticized the government for failing to include all farm implements in the free list. Plows, harrows and all kinds of new-down implements were still used much more extensively than before, he said, and the price had gone up from 50 to 60 per cent. in the last two years. Implements had likewise doubled in price, and a part of this was the duty of 20 per cent. on the value of the goods.

It was decided to submit another resolution to this effect to the U.F.A.

### GOVERNMENT GOT ALMOST 93 PER CENT. OF TOTAL VOTE CAST

Ottawa.—An analysis of the military vote in the Dominion elections held in France shows a total vote of 181,221, including the ballots of soldiers in the contingents where candidates were not endorsed and for other reasons. Of the vote cast, 181,221 were for government candidates, 17,144 for opposition candidates, and ballots rejected numbered 6,822. No less than 52.9 per cent. of the accepted ballots were marked for government candidates.

### NEW REGISTRATION BOARD TO MOBILIZE NATION'S RESOURCES

Ottawa.—A sub-committee of the war committee of the cabinet, known as the Canada registration board, has been constituted by an order-in-council passed to give effect to the government's declared policy of mobilizing the resources of the nation for the prosecution of the war. The aim is to provide a maximum contribution in men, food-stuffs, money and ships. The order-in-council recites that in order to give effect to this policy it will be necessary to have made an accurate and complete inventory of the man and women power of the country, and this can only be secured by a system of compulsory registration applicable to persons over 16 years of age.

### 3,000,000 PERSONS STARVING IN FOUR ASIATIC COUNTRIES

New York.—Information that three million persons are starving in Turkey, Persia, and Syria has been received here by the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions. In addition, a telegram from Tiflis, Georgia, Minister John L. Caldwell, at Tiflis, transmitted recited in the board by the state department, says:

"Because of the war, and because of the lack of food, and at times in their own country, millions of people are starving. Similar conditions are reported from all provinces and cities in Persia."

### MAY TAKE RAILS FROM H.B. RAILWAY

Winning.—A local paper says: "A well-known farmer was in court on non-appearance notice. Mr. Seavoy's account was \$250, while that of the defendant amounted to \$250. The jury already had settled for the defendant in the Quebec Chronicle Building."

### War Veteran Home

Pie. Allen Wainmanaker returned from overseas on Monday night. The station was well crowded and the town band was out to welcome home one of the bravest of our boys. Private Wainmanaker was twice wounded, and scars on his left arm two gold stripes which are the official recognition of his wounds. He took part in several important engagements and was in the famous Vimy Ridge fight, where he received his first wound. Being a slight shrapnel wound in the arm, he was only a short time in the hospital, and then again went to the front. In a scrap at Leis, he received a bullet wound in his thigh and was again sent to the hospital. He soon recovered from his wound but other troubles developed which kept him in the hospital from September last until he was released to Canada three weeks ago.

After spending a few weeks in Claresholm he will go to a sanatorium for further treatment. He looks well and appears to be in fairly good health.

### Curling Notes

#### FOOTHILLS TROUPE

Two teams from Claresholm took part at Nanton, winning out of one point. The players were:—

Wall, Gray, Carney, Holmes (skip), Annandale, Taylor, Brann, Soos (skip).

On Tuesday, Nanton won a return game in Claresholm and played a good point. Claresholm rink was Brock, Knight, Taylor, Reynolds (skip).

Walker, Walker, Ringrose, Shanks (skip).

This leaves Nanton and Claresholm a tie and both teams have yet to play Okotoks.

The Brewery cup has been won by E. Moffat's rink.

### FARMERS MUST NOT ASK PERMISSION TO TRAVEL

If They Do, And Are in Class "A" They Will Be Asked to Don Military Suit

Registrar's Canada office has received instructions that all men subject to the draft be refused permission to leave Canada except in very unusual circumstances, and then the permission be for but a brief period. All men holding a passport is prohibited. This is for two reasons: First, because the men are needed to produce food as far as possible, and second, in order that the railways be free for more important transportation purposes.

### Farmers, Beware!

Men who have secured exemption on the ground that they are needed for the farm stand a great risk of having the exemption reversed if they apply for permission to go over the line, as this would indicate that their exemption on the farm was not so necessary as they made out when applying for exemption.

### FOR THE PRODUCTION "DRIVE"

All Second-Hand Farm Machinery Should Be Utilized This Year

It is important that all available farm machinery should be utilized in the greater production campaign this year. Owing to the unprecedented demand for machinery and equipment, it is extremely difficult to obtain shipments from factories. In the case of many lines it is quite impossible. On the other hand many farmers have second-hand machinery which could be made to give invaluable service this year. The Food Controller asks that rural newspapers should publish in their columns a "Want Ad. Clearing House" for such second-hand machinery. City papers with rural circulation can also help in this campaign by inserting a classified advertising department for equipment of this kind. Increased production in 1918 has become an imperative duty and opportunity should be lost to make available all second-hand equipment which can possibly be utilized. Farmers are advised to take advantage of this opportunity which they cannot lose this year.

### J. A. TULLY IS GRAND MASTER OF THE I.O.O.F.

Edmonton.—The Grand Lodge of the I.O.O.F. of Alberta, recently elected the following grand officers for the ensuing year: Grand master, J. A. Tully; Calgary; deputy grand master, Edgar Perry; Hobbie; grand secretary, O. L. Tisdale; Calgary; grand treasurer, J. B. Laidlaw; Calgary; grand warden, C. E. Noble; Calgary; grand representative to sovereign grand lodge, Alf Brown; Edmonton; J. A. Parker; grand scribe; board of trustees, J. B. Laidlaw; Calgary; grand marshal, A. W. Raymond; Calgary; grand conductor, M. Creighton; Hobbie; grand chaplain, Rev. C. L. Brown; Fort Saskatchewan; grand guardian, E. C. Hynes; Hobbie; grand lodge, L. T. Stuart; Hobbie.



LOOK AT YOUR OLD HAT. IS THE SWEAT-BAND GREASY? HAS IT FADDED AND LOST ITS SHAPE? IF SO, "CHUCK" IT AND COME IN AND GET A NEW ONE. YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO WEAR A "SEEDY" OLD HAT. PEOPLE JUDGE YOU FIRST BY THE HAT YOU WEAR BECAUSE THEY SEE IT FIRST. TO BE SUCCESSFUL, LOOK THE PART OF SUCCESS.

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Departmental Store Claresholm

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

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## SHORT COURSE IN GASOLINE ENGINES

School of Agriculture, Claresholm, Alberta

Monday, March 4th to Saturday, March 9th, Inclusive

A practical course in Gas Engineering and Tractor work will be given at Claresholm from March 4th to March 9th, inclusive. Lectures and practical demonstrations will be given on Stationary and Tractor Engine, blacksmithing and lathe turning. All farmers interested in engineering are invited to attend. Further details can be had from

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### Ratepayers' Meeting

The meeting of the Claresholm Ratepayers' Association, which was held in the (Council Chamber last Tuesday evening, although not largely attended, was enthusiastic. Those present realized that a movement had been started that might mean a great deal to our town. The views on the collection of the members of the council, but everyone felt that the Association would be able to back up the municipal authorities in their efforts to improve the town. It is hoped the public and council will attend the monthly meetings of the Association and keep in touch with the movement for better conditions in Claresholm. The constitution, presented by the executive committee, was amended in various details and adopted.

An important change was made in the name, in order to enlarge its scope and influence. The organization is now called The Claresholm Ratepayers' and Citizens' Association. This will open its doors to tenants and farmers living in the Claresholm district. It was thought that since every farmer is interested in good roads and sidewalks that they should be encouraged to join the Association and lead their aid to its worthy objects.

Mr. T. P. McIsaac offered to start a subscription list with \$10 towards a graveling the front street, and it is thought that a number of farmers all be willing to give money or send their teams for gravel in order to make the main road of travel through the town passable the year round. The subscription list will be started and we hope that everyone will contribute to it for their own good.

The first business of importance to everyone to join the Association - \$100 a year is the membership fee. The officers are: J. B. Howe, president; E. B. Butler, secretary; S. L. Fraser, treasurer. Any of these gentlemen will be glad to receive the names of new members.

The meetings will be held monthly on the 2nd Thursday, in the council chamber. Let us all get together and see that Claresholm is made the most desirable residential town in Southern Alberta.

### THE COMMUNITY CHURCH

It was very pleasing to see the large audience that greeted the speaker at the Methodist Church last Sunday evening. Every seat was occupied and representatives of every sect and creed in the community were present. It was an ideal congregation and one would not help but hope that the time was not far distant when all our citizens will be able to meet in a community church freed from the petty differences and jealousies of sectarianism. Mr. Wood said in the course of his address that the church had fulfilled its mission and that the new era to come there would be no temple therein. We are inclined to believe that, as at present organized, the church has outlived its day, and that the first step necessary to adapt it to the new conditions dawning upon the world is the co-operation or building together of all churches and religious organizations into the community church, where the best of all shall be so blended that the truth will shine forth as the day. Some of our readers we know, will not agree with us when we say that there is a little permanent good to come from the ordinary revival service that expel to the individual to escape from the world to come. There is an appeal to a man's selfishness. The only appeal that will be of value in the future will be the appeal for a helping hand for the other fellow. There must be a leveling up and a leveling down, until an equality of opportunity of comfort, of work, of happiness prevails among men. The time which in the past has been spent in writing creeds to divide men must in the future be spent in uniting men in a common brotherhood, and the only force that can weld together the warring elements of society is the great force of love. The advantages of a co-operative community church would be many. There would be no lack of finance, as is so often today. The work would be made beautiful in architecture. The seats would be made comfortable. Works of art would adorn the walls. The music and song would be greatly improved, and the leaders of the churches could be sufficiently paid to draw to their ranks some of the best and ablest men and women capable of instructing men and women in the social and spiritual duties. Besides all this it would have a satisfying effect upon the community. We would get to know and to understand one another better, and together we could all work for the common good.

There is an air of expectancy in the town today, as at other times in the past previous to great events. Whatever the future has in store for us, we can be quite sure of this: that in the midst of the world's history is passing and the dawn of a new day is dawning.

### FARMERS' INCOME AND PATRIOTIC TAXES

Who does the poor old patient farmer give so freely his treasure and blood to curb German tyranny over free people? Because he himself has had a taste of tyranny in having his price on wheat limited while nearly all others have not been limited in price, but have soared to exorbitant heights which the farmer is compelled to pay, as he must have their goods or services. To encourage production a minimum price of \$2.25 per bushel should have been placed on wheat, and not let it soar above that. This is as it appears to many: The farmers that he in our land seem to say: What an ungrateful nation these farmers have chosen—U.F.A.—Useful Food for All!

Surely this is the psychological moment to sacrifice this victim, the farmer of Ottawa, very justly, since he was then a free farmer and another one in sight; their bird chief has joined the force at Ottawa; their president was down there last summer and received a couple of bouquets; since then he has nearly died of smuts.

Remember, farmers, manufacturers, railway corporations, etc., etc. first blood is ours in the form of income and patriotic taxes, as the struggle held on his prices is held by us. Besides we farmers, extensively we must pay this tax too, but remember, this victory victim must come to you for your war, so be ready with your rifle altitudes—a hint to the wise is sufficient. Now we will not let this victim die without a fight. Let us not let this last drop of blood from this victim as he may be used to us all again; sure, we will kill the goose that lays the golden egg, but we will not let the golden egg go without a fight. Remember the farmers, and don't let your sympathy for this poor victim run away with your head; by publishing his waiting for mercy as it is well known from long experience, he can stand a lot of bleeding.

Yes, we are giving our treasure, and our best blood in rivers to curb this mad passion of inquiry, the demagogues, yes within ourselves many of these little white mice I have mentioned above are lurking; we are not disturbed by their presence, but wonder why Almighty God did not send us our common sense to the earth. He Almighty God with us at all? In the infinite Spirit, Truth and Love battling our spirit, and so keeping our bodies in subjection? If so, these little mice and all other weaknesses would vanish from us as a mist before the morning sun. These errors cannot be sustained in the presence of Truth, for the infinite Spirit, the one condition, our Omnipotent Father would so sustain our armies that the Germans would either away, and in an eternal just peace would be ours indeed. Moreover, we know this war could not last twenty-four hours if all men were Christians.

## Right Now is the Time to Talk and Think

### MOTOR CAR

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**S. C. WILLIAMS**  
AGENT FOR Claresholm, Granum, Staveland

## ANTICIPATE RIOT DAMAGE WILL BE SETTLED BY THE CITY OF QUEBEC

Quebec.—The civic finance committee decided to settle accounts for damages caused last summer to the residence of Hon. Arthur Meighen, and "L'Espresso" building during the riot.

## FIGHTING TERRY MCGOVERN DEAD

New York.—Terry McGovern, former world featherweight champion, died at the King's county hospital at 125 O'Connell street, Monday morning. He had been ill only two days.

## SENATOR GILMORE DEAD

Montreal.—Hon. Daniel Gilmour, a New Brunswick representative of the senate, died at his home here this morning from heart failure. He was born July 1, 1846, at St. George, N.B.

## INDICATION OF HOW SOLDIERS VOTED

Winnipeg. The Free Press carries the following from an Ottawa correspondent: "The counting of the soldiers' ballots in the House of Commons has now been commenced. In Ontario about 40 per cent of the votes went for the government candidates. As an indication of the result of the voting in the following results in Ottawa are interesting: Pugsley 985; Chisholm 987; Laurier 100; McMillan 1000; 101; rejected 5. In Russell county the government candidate secured 77 soldier votes and Hon. Chas. Murphy got 17.

James Stevenson, of Norwich Ont. was killed by a fall from the branch of a tree.

## WE MUST HAVE MORE OIL TO WIN THE WAR

STANDARD RIGS NOW DRILLING

THE GOVERNMENT has notified the large oil companies that they must speed up the oil production at once. We are one of the largest companies operating in the states of Wyoming and Montana drilling the best oil fields in the world away day and night in four of the best oil sections of the northwest. We are near the oil wells—down over 1,000 feet in the well No. 2, at Elk Basin Oil fields. We have about 800 feet to go to start drilling. There is no question about it. The wells in Elk Basin brought in over \$25,000,000 in refined oil in 1917. This has well over \$50,000,000 in refined oil in 1918.

Our space is limited in this ad in the Claresholm Review-Advertiser and all we ask of you to write to us today for our large map and booklet—in color—which will give you valuable information in regard to the oil situation in the northwest and will also tell you all about our company and its holdings. A postcard will do it all in the coupon and send the same at once to the Billings office.

Stock in the Midwest company, adjoining our property in Elk Basin, sold three years ago for 50¢ per share. Recently the shares sold for \$175 per share. Had you bought 1,000 shares then in the Midwest today they would be worth \$175,000. Several other companies might be cited if space permitted. The new booklet will tell you all about the many millions made in Wyoming and Montana during the last three years.

We want to put down forty or fifty wells this spring and summer. In order to do so we need millions of dollars. Only a small part of our oil has been sold so far—we have about 90 per cent of the treasury stock still in the treasury and we will not sell very much just now to make it possible to do some extensive development. You will share in this greatest of all opportunities if you decide at once.

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GEORGE C. CHRISMAN, MANAGER, BILLINGS, MONTANA

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Liberty Oil and Gas Co., Dept., Billings, Mont.  
Gentlemen: I enclose \$\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ shares of the Liberty Oil and Gas Co., at 15¢ per share, full paid and non-assessable. This stock is purchased with the understanding that if after I receive your year-end book, I am not satisfied with the stock you agree to refund me the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ within 15 days, on request.

**INQUIRY COUPON**  
Liberty Oil and Gas Co., Billings, Mont., Dept. \_\_\_\_\_  
Gentlemen: I am interested in the oil situation in the northwest and would be pleased to have you send me your new colored booklet at once which places me under no obligation to your company.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_









# GOVT. OWNERSHIP CHAMPIONS LOSE IN U.S. SENATE

Washington.—Champions of government ownership lost by an overwhelming vote in the senate recently their fight for indefinite federal control of the railroads after the war. An amendment to the administration rail-road bill, offered by Senator Johnson, of South Dakota, and providing that government control should continue until congress otherwise ordered, was defeated 41 to 16.

# REFUSE EXEMPTION TO CATHOLIC TEACHERS

Ottawa.—The central appeal judge has refused the applications for exemption from military service made by two school teachers named Letourneau and Mott. The men are teachers in the St. Charles school, which is under the control of the Catholic school committee in Montreal. Special interest is attached to the cases in view of the fact that the application of 10 teachers are affected by the result of the appeal.

# MRS. MOODY AND MRS. RALPH SMITH INVITED TO OTTAWA CONFERENCE

Vancouver.—Mrs. Irene Moody, member of the Vancouver public school board has accepted an invitation to participate in the conference of women at Ottawa and left for that city Saturday night.

Victoria.—Mrs. Ralph Smith has accepted an invitation to attend the meeting of the war committee at Ottawa and left Friday afternoon. She therefore will not be present at the opening of the legislature on Tuesday. Miss Crease, president of the Local Council of Women, was invited but was unable to accept.

# LAURIER'S ELECTION EXPENSES

OTTAWA.—Statement of election expenses filed here show that the last general election contest in Ottawa cost Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his running mate, Hal McMillen, \$1,100, while the cost to A. R. Phipps, one of the two successful candidates, was \$1,000. Dr. Chabot, the other government candidate, has not yet filed his statement.

The output of oil in Pennsylvania is now about the same as in 1917, a little more than 5,000,000 barrels.

# General Notes

Five thousand men volunteered for military work in one day in New York city.

Sam. Gompers is seeking a eight-hour day and fixed wage scale for shipbuilders in government plants.

A war-ship-making plant costing \$25,000,000 is being built at Edgewood, N.Y.

Writing from France to President Wilson on behalf of the League for the Rights of Man Ferdinand Buisson, a Radical Socialist deputy, asks that the president take the initiative for the immediate organization of the nucleus of a society of nations. M. Buisson urges the president to take up this subject with England, France and other entente nations.

Six varieties of wheat were grown on the government experimental farm at Vermilion, Peace River, last year, with the following results: Prelude, 42 bushels per acre; Marquis, 40 bushels per acre; Bishop, 34 bushels per acre; Statist, 32 bushels per acre; and red fife, 34 bushels per acre. The varieties are here given in the order in which they ripened and were harvested. Prelude was cut on Aug. 13th, red fife on Aug. 19th, and the other varieties between those dates.

A cable announces that Colonel Sir P. E. Headly, who lately has been on the British staff at Tripoli, has been sent to the Italian front on a special mission.

The Allen Lane will discontinue its Boston-Glasgow service on May 1st after a quarter of a century's operation according to a despatch from the Massachusetts port.

The Dominion government will build a nine-story office building on O'Connor street, Ottawa, to overcome the demand for government offices.

The Vancouver Sun publishes a rumor that Hon. W. J. Rogers, former premier, may be appointed Lieutenant-Governor of B.C.

J. H. Swan, an Oklahoma man, has bought the Akeley mine and property adjoining at Medicine Hat for \$150,000.

E. D. Cutler, a brother of Professor Cutler of the college of agriculture, has been secured to take the management of the demonstration farm at Edgewood. Mr. Cutler has taken a two-year course in the Ontario college of agriculture and for the last two years has been farming for himself in Saskatchewan. He follows George Brown, who has been chairman of Edgewood for a number of years. Mr. Brown is going on to his own farm at North Edmonton.

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# "SIRENS OF THE SEA"

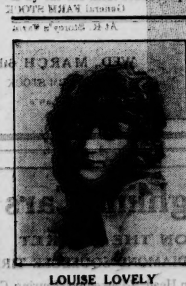
Will be shown at the

# Rex Theatre, Claresholm

# Monday and Tuesday, March 4 & 5

This picture is incomparable beyond words in its daring revelation of the female form divine, and the charm of its sea and grotto settings on the shores of Santa Catalina, "Sirens of the Sea" will never be surpassed in our day.

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# The STORY

Idly cruising in his yacht over summer seas, a young Croesus of today sights a magic isle where girlish sirens, clad in seaweed, lure him on to adventure.

Pursuing the most beautiful of the sirens, he finds her to be the founding daughter of the millionaire owner of the isle.

Soon jealousy develops—then tragedy—then a search for the lost siren through the grottoes of the sea, made surprisingly alluring by beautiful diving nymphs and water scenes of incomparable fairy fancy. Rescued from the life beneath the sea, the lovers are borne away on the yacht to happiness in the world of today.



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# Frank Murray & Co.

# CANADIAN SHIPPERS WORRIED BY THE U.S. EMBARGO ON IMPORTS

Ottawa.—Much anxiety has been caused to Canadian shippers by reason of the prohibition by the United States government of importation into the United States of any freight to the value of more than \$100 unless accompanied by a permit from the war trade board, Washington.

The Canada food board has received advice that a mistake has been made in including Canada in the order that a correction had now been made, and that imports from Canada into the United States will now be permitted under the regulations that were previously in force. Canadian shippers are of the opinion that such application for permits on the food board is not required.

# EDMONTON WOMEN ARE DELEGATES TO OTTAWA CONFERENCE

Edmonton, Alta.—Mrs. Nellie McChung, Mrs. Arthur Murphy and Miss May McChung will be Edmonton's delegates to the conference called by the war cabinet, starting Feb. 28th, in Ottawa. The delegates were summoned by Hon. J. W. Brown, vice-chairman of the war committee, in connection with some of the problems of the day that vitally affect women.

# ONTARIO WOMEN MAY BECOME M.L.A.'S

Toronto.—J. C. Flinn (West Middlesex) introduced a bill in the legislature to provide for the introduction of women as candidates in the legislative assembly. The bill was given its first reading.

## Brand Notices

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All cattle with **C 7** on left rib.  
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Headed and, Yorkshire Cattle,  
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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF JAMES TAIT  
HUNTER, late of Calgary and  
Claresholm, Machinery and  
household goods, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that all persons  
having claims on the estate of the said  
JAMES TAIT HUNTER, who died  
on the 19th day of March, 1917, are required to  
file the particulars of their claims with the  
undersigned solicitor for the executor  
of his will by the 15th day of April, 1917, at  
least, and that after that date the executor  
will distribute the assets of the deceased  
among the parties entitled thereby, having  
regard only to the claims of which  
notice has been so filed or brought to his  
attention.

DATED the 15th day of February, 1918.  
H. L. O'BRIEN,  
212-23 McLean Block, Calgary, Alberta.  
S.O.

## At Local Theatres

**"Sirens of the Sea"**

In the night a terrific storm  
rises off a strange island  
and a ship is cast furiously  
about, sending forth rockets in appeal  
for help. As the sun begins to appear,  
whereas start drawing their  
nets. The rocky shore is strewn with  
wreckage among which the old beach  
cumber, Hajji, is picking up driftwood.  
As Wellington, Stanshop and his  
wife, who live in a Greenish Villa  
near down to the beach, the fisher-  
men have opened their nets and  
discovered a tiny blonde child. Hajji  
natters and looks across the sea.  
The Stanshops take the child and try  
to resuscitate, and when the tiny girl  
opens her eyes, they conclude Hajji  
has sent this little life to fill the void  
of their hearts.

Forteen years later Sybil, who  
has blossomed into womanhood. Her  
school chums are spending their  
vacation at the villa. Hajji, a cold,  
calculating giant, is jealous of Sybil.  
He goes to a nearby island where he  
start unloading behind rocks, pre-  
paring to go to swimming. Hajji  
takes their bathing suits. The girls  
don sea weed and chase Sybil, then  
start playing hide-and-seek and dancing.  
They are seen by Gerald, who  
who lived with society, has found a  
means of escape on his yacht, but he  
has been unable to escape Hajji. Hajji  
has Gerald's name, and he has  
his fishing. The boys find that  
there is an up island noted on the  
map and figure that they have made  
a discovery. Gerald has it in  
an enchanted island and over. Under  
sits Lorelei and her sirens. Dr. H.  
Hartley determines to go back alone.

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## GERMANY PLANS TO RESTORE MONARCHY

London--Germany plans to restore  
the monarchy in Russia, according to  
a telegram dated Friday in Petrograd  
for the Morning Post. It says the  
Grand Duke of Hesse has been ap-  
pointed the commander in the Riga  
section of the German front.  
"His sister," the dispatch adds, "the  
former Empress Alexandra, as the  
sister of her son, the former  
emperor, is the favorite German can-  
didate for the throne."  
The former emperor will not ac-  
cept the throne from German hands.  
The Russians have provided a form  
of government, which the Russians  
alone understand--pure despotism--  
they have paved the way for the re-  
turn of the monarchy."

## B.C. NOW OWNS P.G.E. RAILWAY

PAPERS SIGNED

Seattle, Wash.--Papers giving the  
provision of British Columbia, ac-  
cording to the Pacific Great Eastern rail-  
way, which is to connect the north-  
west with the Peace River country, more  
than 500 miles distant, were signed at  
a meeting of officials here. This save  
the province the ownership of a rail-  
road property on which the cost of  
about \$20,000,000 has already been ex-  
pended. According to the terms of  
the agreement signed by representa-  
tives of the railroad and the provincial  
government, the company is to pay  
the Dominion tax, the sum of \$100,000  
for a release from its contract to con-  
struct and operate the line, and the  
government proposes ultimately to  
complete the laying of the accom-  
panied portion of the trackage.  
\$247,000; surplus of three per cent on  
all paying rent over \$150, \$400,000.

## Chinook Gossip

Enal Lang went to Calgary on  
business last Tuesday evening.  
Cruz Lytle and family returned  
from Vancouver last Saturday.  
Billy Holding and family returned  
from Calgary a few days ago.  
Anton Dersch went to Montana for  
a visit last week.  
Simon Jenson went to Spokane  
over the first of the week to look over  
some real estate.  
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pfeiffer returned  
from California last Friday.  
Harry Hobbs and children have  
left this neighborhood, together with  
their stock, for the southern part of  
the province.  
It has been reported that ever since  
the big wind storm the Baron of Spad-  
ville has been suffering from what is  
termed "wind fever." His speedy re-  
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